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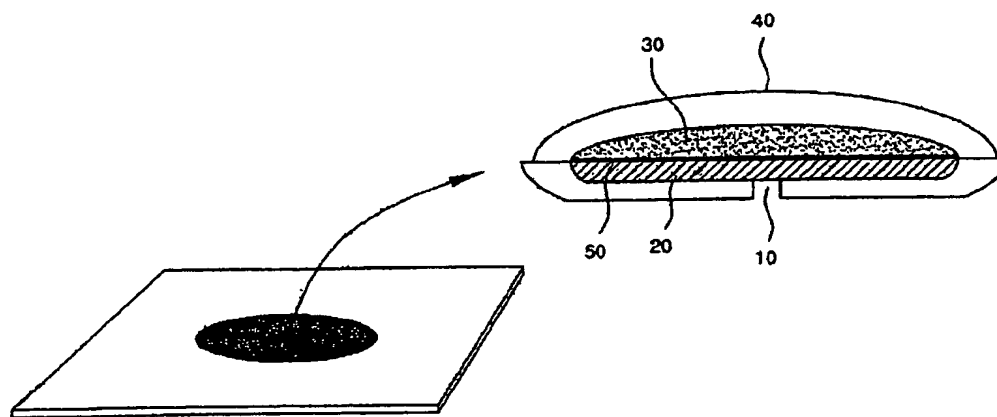
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(57) **Abstract:** The present invention relates to a freshness indicator of foodstuffs, and more particularly, to a freshness indicator of foodstuffs using pH sensitive high molecular substances which is capable of judging use (drinking) possibility, by indicating a quality of foodstuffs with naked eye using phase shift due to an ionization difference of pH sensitive high molecular substances which is sensitively reacted to pH of foodstuffs to be changed depending on a quality of foodstuffs, regardless of a term of validity marked on a vessel. The freshness indicator of foodstuffs comprises an ion and solvent through hole 10 in which an ion and solvent within foodstuffs to be changed depending on a quality of foodstuffs is formed such that it can be contacted with a pH sensitive high molecular substance, a semipermeable membrane member 20 being formed such that it passes an ion and solvent only through ion and solvent through hole 10, a filling layer 30 for a pH sensitive high molecular substance which is ionized or deionized by the ion and solvent being passed through semipermeable membrane member 20 and in which transparency /semitransparency phase shift is occurred, and a transparency film member 40 which is formed at the outside of filling layer 30 and is capable of judging a phase shift of filling layer with naked eye. Also, the freshness indicator of foodstuffs further comprises a freshness indication paper 50 in which a character or a figure is formed between filling layer 30 and semipermeable membrane member 20.

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